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FOUGHT THE WAR OVER

Boutelle Bitterly Opposes the Repeal of the Restriction Against Confederate Soldiers.

BUT HE STOOD ALONE IN HIS MISERY.

The Constitution of South Carolin Referred To-Other Republicans Advocate the Passage of the Bill to Boutelle's Discomfiture-The

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cy that could be pursued.

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had received many letters urging
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the said he recognized the fact that here was a sentiment of reluctance mong them of expressing any views hich might seem to reflect upon those ho fought on the Confederate side who who fought on the Condedence ally those were in public life, and especially those who were in the House with them. He said he would remind them that the gentlemen on the other side had never

Juros in the case of the United States against Fitzjohn Porter, and voted against Fitzjohn Porter, and voted solidly to place him on the retired list.

Mr. Wheeler (Dem.), of Alabama—Mr. Wheeler (Dem.), of Alabama—Mr. Wheeler (Dem.), of New York, asked was augusted at West Point still capable of flighting, and if the nation state desire their services? "Would you," he asked, "determined plassed, "determined plassed, "which was inserted any of these men from the priviled returned that the Demotrate prevented even an opportunity to vote upon the bill until the Republicant into their wits end and fear any of these men from the priviled returned the rights of a sin no mor. If you will have it made that the continued, "was to be allowed to go and of the session, and Grant would die before he continued, was to be allowed to go and of the session, and Grant would die before he continued and the session and Grant would die beginner of the session and Grant would die beginner of the session and Grant would die beginner of the session and ferrant would die beginner of the session and after him and the session of the demands of Congress, stream of the session and after him and the session of the session and after him and the session of the session and after him and the session of the session and after him and the session of the session and after him and the session and after him at all: the continued, "was to be allowed to go and the demands of the Democratic Cuntum would have on him and replied that it the was an addit the session and after him at all: the continued, "was to be allowed to go and the session and after him at all: the session would have on him and replied that it the continued of the session

veterans from all road tax which was imposed on all other males between the ages of 18 and 50 years. The war had been over thirty years, adding that to

eighteen, made forty-eight, so that the exemption applied only to those soldiers between the ages of 48 and 50 years. The bill, Mr. Boutelle contended, would not be effectual. It would not give to any old soldier on the Union side, who was now in private life, the right to bear a commission in the army.

Mr. Hull—Neither does it give the right to the Confederates.

Mr. Boutelle (sharply)—Well, do you want to give them that right?

Mr. Grosvernor (Rep.), of Ohio, said

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Mr. Grosvernor (Rep.), of Ohio, said that he based his support of the bill on the belief that his action here should be in the way of aiding in so far as it was possible for him to do so, the encouragement of loyalty and devotion to the flag in all parts of the country. (Applause.)

Washington, D. C., March 24.—Quite unexpectedly to-day, the House was plunged towards the close of the session into a debate in the course of which the war was fought over again, and the issue of which was the repeal of last remaining restriction against those who served in the Confederate army.

Mr. Hull (Rep.) of lowa, had presented from the Committee on Milliary Affairs, the Senate bill which repealed Sec. 1218. Revised Statutes, regulating the appointment of officers in the army or navy, that no person who held a commission in the United States and afterwards entered into the service of the Confederate States or any State thereof, should be appointed an officer in the army or navy of the United States and afterwards entered into the service of the Confederate States or any State thereof, should be appointed an officer in the army or navy of the United States and afterwards entered into the service of the Confederate States or any State thereof, should be appointed an officer in the army or navy of the United States and entered should be appointed in the Senate bill repealing the law forbidding the appointment of any person as an oillacer in the navy or army who held a commission in the army or navy at the confederate States of the States of the South Confederate States or any State thereof, should be appointed and officer in the have forbidding the appointment of any person as an oillacer in the navy or army who held a commission in the army or navy at the confederate States of the South the properties of the States of the South the service of the States of the States

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Mr. Routelle—Does the gentleman know of any Southern man who has asked for the passage of this bill? Who was for the passage of this bill? Who brought it in here?

class to carry a load which he was not himself willing to Lear.

Mr. Hopkins (Rep.), of Illinois, made the point of order that the morning hour had expired, but Speaker Reed stated that while it were competent for any gentleman to move that the morning hour should be declared to have expired, the hour did not expire of itself.

was in the right direction and for a good purpose. In the South, he said there was a turning to the Union will a devotion that people who did no mingle with floss of that section could not understand. There are yet many in the South, General Walker said, who was advented at West H.

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THEY ARE FOR MORTON

Delegates to the New York Republican State Convention Show Preference for Levi P.

THE POINTS SCORED AGAINST MCKINLEY

the Principle of Protection and Mr. Platt Nodded Acquisee ice-No Man Whose Reputation Rests on a

to remove from the statute books everything that tended to discriminate between the residents of the different sections of the country.

Mr. Boutelle—Does the gentleman kinow of any Southernman who has asked for the passage of this bill? Who was for the passage of this bill? Who was for the passage of this bill? Who has some friends in the hall and they made all the noise they could, but the demonstration was not very formidable and there were hisses in several parts of the hall to counteract it. The Morton men, who included more than nine-tenths of those in the hall, had another chance when Mr. Southwick reached that it was his desire that all men should the several parts of the hall to counteract it. The Morton men, who included more than nine-tenths of those in the hall and they made all ttele later on the Morton were were hisses in several parts of the hall to counteract it. The Morton were were hisses in several parts of the hall to counteract it. The Morton were were hisses in several parts of

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Mr. Hull rejoined that the reason was found in the fact that no necessity existed for the legislation.

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Mr. Boutelle exiteised the bill as a piece of unnecessary legislation and wholly sentimentality. It could be intended for no other practical purpose than to cast a reflection upon the sentiment of the Country, which was represented in the law of the sentiment was right not to be disturbed now. No good could be accomplished by these measures and they served only to awaken and arouse recollections that should be builed. While he had been accused of some aggressiveness of thought to the dealer. Although the passage of the bill would nase, and the successive provided to advise the country, but be a complished by these measures and they served only to awaken and arouse recollections that should be builed. While he had been accused of some aggressiveness of thought to the fellow of the statement by Mr. Boutelle that there was a sentiment of reluctance among them of expressing any views which might seem to reflect upon those who changed by the fact that there was a sentiment of reluctance among them of expressing any views which might seem to reflect upon those who contend the might seem to reflect upon those who chapted the wild her recognized the fact that there was a sentiment of reluctance among them of expressing any views which might seem to reflect upon those who chapted to be repealed by the provided the fact that there was a sentiment of reluctance among them of expressing any views the fought on the committee on Nominations, was added to be persident the morning be president the morning declared to have a first an adversarial the recognized the could be accomplished by these measurements and the proposed to the provided th

said there could be no minority report in this instance.

"Then make it what you place," said Mr. Fitchie. "Call it an amendment." Mr. Chalfman, I move an amendment to the report to the Committee on Nominations. The undersigned minority of the Committee on Nominations. The undersigned minority of the Committee on Nominations respectfully disagree with the report of the majority in the choice of delegates at large to the Republican National Convention at St. Louds, Messers, Depew and Warner Miller, it is said, are willing to cast their votes in the convention in accordance with sentiment of their State. It is, therefore, desirable that their associates be men of kindred spirit and the minority respectfully presents as their two delegates Hon. Edgar B. Jewett, of Buffalo, and General Samuel Thomas, of New York, with the recommendation that if it appears, after the first ballot that Hon. Levi P. Morton cannot be the choice of the National Conventor their chairs their contents the contents of the Conventor that the contents of the

The East End Democratic Club was organized last night with forty-six members when the following officers were elected: W. A. Foster, president; Ed. Kavannaugh, vice-president; C. P. Mosely, treasurer; J. W. Lannigan, receding secretary; P. H. Riley, sergeantatrams.

IN COURT YESTERDAY.

A Small Docket of Very Little In

Ninety days in jail was the sentence meted out to three colored men, Charles White, Andrew Washington and Samuel Brothers, the first and last for stealing a lot of dry goods from a Church street merchant, and the second for stealing a lot of harness. He entered an appeal to the decision of the Justice. There are two other charges of larceny pending against White and Washington.

STOLIE A SUIT STOLE A SUIT.

Henry Garrison, colored, was befor Justice Burroughs on the charge o breaking into the room of a colored man, named E. T. Taylor, in liunters ville, and stealing a \$10 suit of clothe The accused admitted to the officer wi placed him under arrest that he had stolen the clothes and soid them to a second-hand dealer on Lower Church street for \$2. They were recovered street for \$2. They were recovered Garrison was sent on to the grand jury

MINOR CASES.

Jack Fogarty, F. B. Clements, Columbus Obiss, James Neumbrouse, white, drunk; fined \$1 and costs. W. H. Talbot, J. S. Thalet, Carey Smith, colored, drunk; fined \$1 and

costs.

Margaret Eddle, Annie Pettit, colored, breach of the peace; fined \$1 and

I., W. Land, colored, bailed to appear before Justice Hawks.
Nelson Ellis, white, unlawful trespan

fined \$5 and costs; drunk, \$1 and costs vagrant, dismissed.

Wm. Williams, Prudence Williams, Sadie Bell, colored, receiving stolen

Court of Law and Chancery,
In the Court of Law and Chancery yesterday the case of J. E. Burke, City Sergeant, vs. F. N. Isham et als., suit in bond, was taken under advisement.
The entire afternoon session of the Court of Law and Chancery was occupled yesterday with the trial of the suit of C. Olsen, a white barber on Kast Main street, vs. Rosa Macklin, to recover \$500 damages for false arrest. Mr. Olsen was arrested September 14th last on a warrant sworn out by the Macklin woman, charging him with obtaining goods valued at \$3 under false pretenses. Olsen was honorably acquitted by J&ustice Burroughs, and through his attorney, Julius T. Saunders, he instituted suit for \$500 damages. Hon. R. C. Marshall & Son. of Portsmouth, appeared yesterday for the defendant, and Mr. Saunders was assisted by Colonel G. A. Martin. At So'clock last night the court adjourned until 10 o'clock te-day. Court of Law and Chancery.

In the Corporation Court yesterday the jury in the case of smith MePher-son, colored, charged with selling liquor without a license, failed to agree and was discharged from further considera-tion of the case.

R. E. Baker, Jr., and wife, and Fergus Reid and wife to W. H. Clark, two lots in Brambleton Ward, \$1,000. A. B. Cooke, Jr., to A. B. Cooke, Sr., lot on Freemason street; love and affec-

tion. W. H. T. Loyall, trustee, to Bankers Loan and Investment Company, four lots, \$2,000.

Marriage Licenses

Joseph Squires and Nelile Brickhouse John Thomas Knight and Sydenia Vasstie Cullen, white.

MATTERS OF MOMENT TO NORFOLK The Compulsory Pilotage Bill - Mat

The Compulsory Pilotage Bill—Matters Pertaining to the Navy-Yard.
Washington, D. C., March 24.—(Special)—The naval appropriation bill, which was reported to the House to-day, provides for the usual salaries of the employes of the various bureaus of the Norfolk Navy-yard. No changes are made in the salaries, nor are there any new officials added to the present fore.

In addition to this, the sum of \$15,000 the continuating of the Quay wall; \$9,000 for the erection of a bioler plant, including sheds, etc., and \$20,000 for the quay wall etc., quay wall at the north end of the tim-ber basin.

The minority teport on the bill to abolish compulsory pilotage on constwise vessels was reported to-day. It is a very able one and insists that it is not the vessel, but the freights that pays the pilotage; that in States where this pilotage had been abolished was by the action of the pilot association, which were rendered independent of it by a large foreign commerce, and that such legislation should be left to the States, which were more competent to deal with local matters than Congress.

local matters than Congress. Repudiates Articles.

Madrid, March 24.—The government paper El Nacional, disayows the articles in the Epoca unfriendly to the United States which were supposed to reflect Cabinet opinion. It declares the publication was not made with the approval of the government, and was not authorized.

Newcastle Colliers Strike

WAS THE MAN LYNCHED

Or Did He Manage To Evade the Cruel Verdict of a Peremptory Court.

QUESTION THE PEOPLE WANT TO KNOW.

Lewis Sinclair Commits a Crime in La Payette Parish, Louislana, for Which a Mob Attempted to Lynch Him. He Was Rescued But Later Disappears-Fate Unknown.

New Orleans, La., Murch 24 .- A spe cial to the Dally States from LaFa-yette, La., says: A negro, named Lewis Sinclair, at-

A negro, named Lewis Smean, tempted to assault a respectable whits lady in the neighborhood of Carenerow, ally in the neighborhood of Careac, but all a Fayette parish, Sunday morning, but LaFayette parish, Sunday morning, but the timely arrival of a third party prevented the accomplishment of his purpose. He fied, but was caught that afternoon, brought to LaFayette and put in jail. Sunday night a number of men from the Carenerow neigh-schood came to LaFayette, evidently to lynch the negro, but the Sheriff succeeded in paelfying them and the crow's left. Monday a Constable came from Carenerow with a warrant for the negre's appearance before a Justice of the Peace appearance before a Justice of the Peace

Austin, Tex., March 24.-The State epublican Convention, which was to we met here at noon to-day, did not semble until 8 o'clock to-night owing the delay of the Credentials Commitassemble until 8 o'credentials Committo the delay of the Credentials Committee in passing on contested delegations to determine which should participate in the temporary organization. The committee gave the McKinleyites a black eye by seating Allison delegations from San Antonio and Austin, and the Allison men to-night chain they have a son men to-night chain they have a son men to-night claim they have a chance of naming all the delegates to the convention to-morrow. The convention at 9:30 o'clock to-nigh

is a perfect bediam trying to elect a temporary chairman with McKinley and Allison men in nomination. The McKinley faction lost ground to-day for want of leaders, but they still claim they will elect three of the four delegates. Prominent Allison men are willing to concede them two with no instructions,

Minnesota For McKinley.

Minneapolis, Minn., March 24.—In the Convention Hall, wherein Benjamin Harrison was nominated for the Presidency, the Republicans of Minnesota today declared unanimously for William McKinley, Oblo's favorite son, as the next President of the United States, renewed their fidelity to the principles of the Republican party, declared their belief in the policy of the United States as declared by James Monroe, demanded the restoration of the principle of reciprocity as a national policy and passed a resolution favoring the use of both gold and silver to the extent that they can be maintained at a parity on the purchasing and debt raying power, and opposing the free and unlimited coinage of silver.

Warren Criswell Confesse

Atlanta, Ga., March 24.—The Consti-tution's correspondent at Cochran wires that Warren Criswell, the suspected train wrecker, made a confession to him

Criswell claimed that the Shaws, fath Criswell claimed that the Shaws, father and son, compelled him by their threats to shoot him, to draw the spikes from the rails at Stoney Creek, on the Southern railway, below Macon. Criswell's wife says that she overheard the Shaws state that they had paid two negroes \$10 to steal the tools with which the spikes were drawn. Criswell does not account for the motive of the Shaws in wrecking the train. He will Shaws in wrecking the train. He will have a preliminary trial to-morrow.

Akron, O., March 24.-The J. F. erting Company, manufacturers Empire's mowers, reapers, and binders
filed a deed of assignment to-night to W Carter. An attachment in favor he First National Bank, of Ravenna, the First National Bank, or two precipitated the assignment. The 1 abilities are estimated at \$250,000, will be excess of the assets considerably in excess of the amount. The company was organized in 1835, and was incorporated in 1836 to 51,000,000. Seiberting, Miller & Co. o Doylestown, manufacturers of mover and reapers, will also be affected.

Fight Between Japs and Corcans.

Vokohama, March 24.—Fighting that lasted for several days occurred between Japanese troops and Coreans, near Fusan. The Coreans were repulsed. The Japanese warships have been sent to Corea. The King remains at the Russian Legation at Seoul, whither he recently fled after the crisis that resulted in the assassination of several of the Ministers.

Condition of Prof. Crouch

Baltimore, Md., March 24.—The centi-tion of Prof. Frederick W. Cronch, the famed musician and composer, was un-Melbourne, March 24.—The Newcastle ton of Prof. Prederick W. Cronch, the famed musician and composer, was unconsequence of the refusal of the mine owners to increase their wages on the ground that the increase demanded would disable them, and prevent them from competing for the Eastern and American trades.

Baltimore, Md., March 24.—The couli-ton of Prof. Prederick W. Cronch, the famed musician and composer, was uncontained at midnight. He received and conversed with two or three infinate workers in the entertainment hall at Epworth Church. It will be repeated to-night. A nominal admission fee of physician and family are in censtant attendance at his bedside.

HEPTASOPHS IN SESSION.

The Grand Conclave to Meet in Nor folk Next Yenr

The twelfth annual session of the Grand Conclave of Virginia, Heptasophs or S. W. M., was held at Great Bridge yesterday, every subordinate conclave in the State being represented. The session was opened by Grand Archon J. M. Hartlove.

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Encouraging reports were received, the Committee on State of the Order reporting a larger increase in membership than ever before known.

The following officers were elected: Grand Archon, W. F. Gregory, of Norfolk; Grand Chancellor, J. M. Hartlove, Portsmouth; Grand Provost, J. W. Rellins, of York county; Grand Seribe, C. F. McCoy, of Norfolk; Grand Prelats, J. P. Hampshire, of Norfolk; Grand Inspector-General, C. J. Thompson, of Portsmouth.
Gaund Trustees—C. E. Outten, Portsmouth; J. J. Faber, of Norfolk, and J. A. Williams, of Nansemond.
Committee on Appeals—Wm. Rawlins, and J. P. Hampshire.
Representative to Supreme Conclave—Past Grand Archon J. M. Hartlove.

Past Grand Archon J. M. Hartlove, The Grand Archon made the follow-ing appointments: Grand Warden, Geo. W. Deans, of Norfolk; Grand Sentinel, W. F. Quinn, of York. The following committees were also

appointed: On Credentials-J. J. Faber, C. E.

Outten and J. W. Rollins.
On Unfinished Business—J. M. Hart-love, J. L. Faber and W. F. Berry.
On Legislation—J. A. Williams, W. F.

On Legislation—J. A. Williams, W. F. Quinn and George M. Hail.
On Returns—J. L. Bunting, H. M. Gettleur and N. Onley.
On Finance and Milage—C. E. Outten, A. S. Curling and J. P. Hampshire.
On By-laws—Wm. Rawlings, C. J. Thompson and A. D. Page.
On State of Order—J. A. Williams, A. Albertson and N. Onley.
Among the amendments to the laws of the order was the vesting in the Grand Archon of power to appoint organizers, who shall receive as commensation \$2 for each charter member thillated, and a clause making the fee for initiation and degrees not less than \$5.
The Grand Conclave adjourned to meet in Norfolk on the fourth Tuesday in March next.

MARRIED AT MONTEFIORE HALL Miss Berthn Jacobs Wedded to Mr. J.

C, Stein Last Night.

On a stage banked with flowers and potted plants at Monteflore Hall, on Fenchurch street, Miss Bertle Jacobs was last night married to Mr. John C. Stein, a young business man, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Dr. B. Eberson, rabbi of Ohef Sholem Temple, The hall was prettily decorated and many guests were present.

After the ceremony dancing was indulged in, followed later by a handsome supper. The music was furnished by the Navai Post Band.

The best man was Mr. Samuel Greenbaum, of Washington city, and the maid of honor was Miss Tony Jacobs, sister of the bride. The ushers were Messrs. Henry Morris. Arthur Morris, Jacob Lowenberg, Jos. Hecht, David Franklin, Richard Pincus, L. Lauchman, Wm. Sherrick.

Franklin, Richard Pincus, L. Lauchman, Wm. Sherrick.
Among the guests from a distance who were present were: Mrs. M. Greenbaum, Mr. Samuel Greenbaum, of Washington; Mrs. J. Engle and daughter, of Baltimore; Mr. M. Greenbaum, of Maryland; Miss Rosa Moritz, of New York.
The newly wedded couple left over the Northern trip.

CENTRAL LABOR UNION.

A General Improvement in Industrial Trade Reported.

The regular monthly meeting of Cen-tral Labor Union of Southeastern Vir-ginia was held last night in Labor Hall, with President Edgar Keefe in the

Improvement in industrial trades.
Two new sets of delegates were present, one from the Portsmouth Boller makers' Association and the other from the Norfolk Plasterers' Union.

A letter was read from Mr. W. H pointed by the Richmond Trades and Labor Councils to co-operate with simi-lar committee, looking to the creation of a State Central body.

Alexandria, Va., March 24.—Walter Peregory, a young oysterman, fatally shot his sweetheart, Annie Rooney, through the ear and then shot himself through the head, on the street to-night. Peregory died almost instantly. Both were young. Jealousy is the supposed cause for the tragedy. were young. Jealous; cause for the tragedy

Mr. Burrow's Funeral

The funeral of Mr. John W. Burrow, whose sudden death was announced in The Virginian yesterday, will take place from the Catholic Church of the Sacred Heart, on York street, to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock. The death of the gentleman was read with the greatest surprise and pain. He left a wife and three sons.

ACTION OF SOME SORT

Should Be Taken Say the Members of the Conference on the Guban Resolutions.

THE MATTER NOT TO HANG IN MID AIR

By a Few Friends of Spain De veloped By the Debate in the Senate—They Will Agree Upon Resolutions That Will Command Respect,

Washington, March 24.—The managers on the part of the two houses in charge of the Cuban resolutions failed to agree this afternoon and adjourned to agree this afternoon and adjourned to meet again to-morrow at 2 o'clock. Many tentative propositions were discussed. It was apparent, however, that neither House will adopt the text in to to of the other: The opinion is expressed that the Senate conferees will agree to the first and second clauses of the House resolutions, striking out the third clause, which reads:

"Resolved, That the United States has not intervened in struggles between any European governments and their colonies on this continent: but from the very close relations between the people of the United States and those of Cuba in consequence of the proximity and the extent of the commerce between the two peoples, the present war is entailing such losses upon the people of the United States that Congress is of opinion that the Government of the United States should be prepared to protect the legitimate interests of our citizens by intervention if necessary."

This will remove the objectionable features discussed during the debate in the Senate, and it is thought the House will accept the resolutions as so amended.

While members of the conference adhere to the statement that no conclusion was even approximately reached, they all declare that they will report a conclusion that will be agreed to. They assert with emphasis that the matter is not to be left hanging in the air, for the overwhelming vote in both houses is accepted as an evidence of the sentiment of this Congress that final and positive action of some sort should be taken, and that Congress should not be frustrated by a few friends of Spain developed by the debate in the Senate. For this reason they will agree upon resolutions that must command the respect and support of both houses of Congress.

Friday next has been set apart for hearings on the Nicaragua Canal bill

Friday next has been set hearings on the Nicaragua Canal bill before the House Committee on Commerce, and ex-Senator Warner Miller, of New York, president of the Canal Company, and members of the Engineer Commission, who visited Nicaragua last summer, are expected to appear.

ABOUT CARR'S CONFESSION.

Friends Insist that His Insanity is Shown by His Last Declaration.

Atlanta, Ga., March 24.—Alex. Carr's confession that he is sune and has been shamming has made a great many persons who believed him sane come to the conclusion that he is really insane after all. Had he held out twenty-four hours longer he certainly would have gone to the asylum by a reprieve from the Governor. To-day Col. Arnold, counsel for Carr, had a conference with Governor Atkinson and the latter stated that he would give the attorney time Governor Atkinson and the latter stated that he would give the attorney time to take such steps as he deems proper. Up to a late hour to-night, the Governor had not Indicated what he would do, but it is almost likely that he will give the condemned man thirty days more. Carr's counsel insists that the prisoner is insane, despite his own statement that he has been shamming for a vear and a half. Previous to yesterday Carr had not spoken a word in eleven months,

MANLY IS FOR REED.

ays the Maine Statesman's Strength Will Steadily Increase.

Washington, D. C., March 24.—J. H. Manly, of Maine, Secretary of the National Republican Committee, has addressed a letter to the Governor of Maine in connection with the claims that Governor McKinley, of Ohlo, has already secured a majority of the delegates to the St. Louis Convention, in which Mr. Manly says:

Including elections held to-day there have been 375 delegates elected to the

rable discussion, in which the advantages of such an organization were acknowledged, the following committee was appointed on the part of the Central Labor Union of Southeastern Virginia: Messrs. Clint. C. Houston, William H. O'Connell, D. J. Reardon, G. J. Walker, and W. H. Warriek.

AlYoung Man Kills His Sweetheart Alexandria, Va., March 24.—Walter Peregory, a young oysterman, fatally shot his sweetheart, Annie Rooney, through the ear and then shot himself through the ear and then shot himself teen for Senator Quay. Ten for Sena-tor Cullom. Forty-four for Senator Al-lison, and forty-eight for Mr. Reed, Mr. Reed's strength from now until the convention will steadily increase. I am sincerely yours, J. H. MANLY.

Latest From the Seat of War.

Havana, March 24.—It is reported that Macco is in the province of Pinar Del Rio, near the north coast. Gomes is said to be moving to the castward. Two political prisoners who are now confined in the Cabanas fortress will be shot this

Washington, March 24.—A govern-ment dispatch from Madrid to the Span-ish ministers announced that Colonel Martin, has captured all the archives and documents of the Cuban republic

"Newest Discovery"—Ext. teeth; se min. N. Y. D. Rooms, Ennis, 162 Mate